Student Council Polls Open Tomorrow

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Outstanding Seniors

• THE ANNUAL MAY DAY program will be presented in Lisner Auditorium this Friday, at 8:15 p.m., by the Student

The queen will be chosen from the women elected to "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Uni-

University

Lends Lisner

For Elections

• CLASSES WILL BE excused today at 11:45 a.m. in order to allow students to hear campaign speeches at that time in Lisner Auditorium.

This year is the first time that the University has permitted all undergraduate students to be ex-

the University has permitted all undergraduate students to be excused from regular classes so that they will be free to hear each candidate running for office.

All candidates will speak at this time except the representatives from the various schools. Their speeches will be given at 1:30 p.m. today in Government, Room 101.

In the past, this all-important part of the annual Spring Student Council elections have been greatly neglected. Candidates themselves would often neglect to appear, the speeches were haphazard and the attendance was sparce.

This year, however, no undergraduate student who has been excused from class for the express purpose of hearing the candidates can afford to miss going to Lisner Auditorium at 11:45 a.m. today.

Speech Contest .

versities" on the basis of scholarship, leadership and participation in student ac-

Finalists will be selected by the women students at today's poll from 12 to 1:30 p.m. The balloting on the three final candidates will be held on Friday from 12 to 1 p.m. Activities books must be presented by voters on both days.

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Directed by Lyn Henderson
Lyn Henderson, Student Council activities chairman, is director and coordinator of May Day. She is assisted by Mary Schooley, queen's chairman, Sally Ricci, publicity director, and Margot Kopsides, voting chairman.

The May Queen will enter the auditorium with her court of 15 members escorted by male members of "Who's Who" under an arch of sabres provided by the AFROTC Honor Flight. Her coronation will be by Glenn Archer, Student Council President.

The 1954-55 Student Council officers will be ahnounced by Advocate Frank Haynes. Student Council certificates of appreciation will also be presented at this time.

Mortar Board.

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Mortarboard, senior women's honorary, will tap new members. Individual awards will be made to the outstanding women students in their sophmore, junior and senior years.

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Omicron Delta Kappa, men's service honorary, will present the outstanding senior man of 1954.

Winners

Hillell Announces Winners
Winners of the annual literary
contest, sponsored by the B'nai
B'rith Hillel Foundation, will receive prizes in poetry, short story
and essay divisions.

The entertainment for the evering will be presented by the Clea-

ning will be presented by the Glee Club; Kappa Sigma fraternity. Club; Kappa Sigma fraternity, winners of the Inter-fraternity Sing; and the Dance Production

Groups.

Kappa Sigma will sing two numbers and the program will close with the presentation of "Military Ball" by the Dance Group.

May Queen Watches SC Aspirants Commence AsMortarBoardTaps Campaign with Speeches • THIRTY CANDIDATES, four uncontested, will seek election to Student Council posts to-

Candidates for the 15 positions will start their heavy campaigning tomorrow when the polls open at 8:30 a.m. in front of the Student Union. All students in the University, regardless of the number of hours they carry are eligible to vote in this annual election. In order to vote, all stu-dents are required to bring



CANDIDATES AWAIT VOTES

Hours for Official Election Polls

| | Student Union | | Law School | | Medical School | |
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| Wednesday | 8:30- 9:30 10:30-11:30 | 12:00-1:30 4:30-7:30 | | 12-1 5-6 | none | 12-1 |
| Thursday | 8:30- 9:30 10:30-11:30 | 12:00-1:30 4:30-7:30 | | 12-1 5-6 | none | 12-1 |

Editorial

• PETITIONS ARE CLOSED. candidates are breathless, and what are you doing to meet the emergency? Are you going to vote? Or do you plan to sit in the Onion slurping coffee? Or perhaps sit in the library reading Esquire? Just how useless do you plan to be on the day of elections?

May we suggest, dear reader, that the process of voting is on the whole, a painless one? One quick flip of the

wrist will open your activities book. A few further exertions of the wrist and fingers will produce a series of checks by the name of your choices for office. And one more final effort will deposit the finished product in the ballot box. More effort goes into the lifting of a coffee cup or a ciga-

Voting is necessary. That is not a novel thought, but so little interest is taken in voton campus that we thought it might stand some reiteration.

The vote in past years has been too low. There is no reason for this, and the excuses presented, running from, "I have never met any of them," to, "I have got a dentist's appointment," are very weak.

This year, vote.

Waves . . .

o THE WAVES OF the Naval Air Reserve at the Naval Air Station, Anacostia, will play host to college girls on Saturday, May 8, and Sunday, May 9, to 3 p.m. They will show the jobs performed by the women of the Naval Air Reserve.

ing areas: Student Union—8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.; Law School—11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. and at the Medical school between 12 noon and 1 p.m. Candidates

their signed activity books, complete with the number 30

ticket, to the polls. Tičket number 30 will be torn from the book and attached to the ballot.

Activity Cards Available

Any student who has lost his activity book or who does not have one for any other reason, may secure an activity card in the Cashier's Office between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. The election committee interprets the rule regarding the necessity of signed activity books to also include signed activity cards.

Voting will take place at the following times tomorrow and Thursday at the appointed balloting areas: Student Union—8:30

Any student who has lost his

Candidates

Candidates for the Student
Council Offices are: president,
Tom Brown and John Buckingham; vice president, Walter
"Corky" Devlin and Erma Flores;
advocate, Julian "Jay" Brown and
Mark Spies; comptroller, Betty
Lou Anderson and Roy Barnard.
Also, secretary, Aphy Macotsin,
Judy Moffett and Roy Rothgeb;
activities director, Dottie Miller
and Lorna Ridyard; program director, Bobbie Ruth Moore (uncontested); freshman director,
Barbara Stuart (uncontested);
publicity director, Carol Picton
and Betsy Silver. and Betsy Silver.

In addition, member-at-large, Joe Holup and Jim Rudin; and for the position of Student Union chairman, Lucille Anstine, Arthur Kirsch and Beau Martin.

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Representatives candidates are:
Junior College, Bev Borden, Joe
Hince and Bill Hix; Columbian
College, Ed Jaffee, Ann Quackenbush and Howard Roberts; Education School, Shirley Floyd (uncontested) and Government
School, Dayton Coe (uncontested).

Review Course Offers Aid To Foreign Service Test Candidates

The Phi Sigma Kappa Fresh-man Contest will be held tomorrow in Studio A, instead of Thursday,

THE ISAAC WALTON Speech Contest, for all seniors who expect to receive a B.A. degree by fall '54, will be held Wednesday, May 12, at 8:30 p.m. in Studio A of Lisner Auditorium. Prizes will be \$25, \$20, and \$15 for first, second and third places, respectively.

Speeches may be on any subject; from 6 to 10 minutes in length. Both context and delivery will be considered. Entrants should register with either Prof. L. Poe Leggette or George Henigan not later than Friday.

The Phi Sigma Kappa Fresh-

THE ISAAC WALTON Speech

• THE NINTH ANNUAL Foreign Service Review Course, designed specifically to prepare candidates for the annual Foreign Service Examination, will be offered by the University on June 21 to August 27, 1954.

The success of the Course is indicated by the fact that over the eight-year period of its operation 50 per cent of all regisoperation 50 per cent of all regis-tered for the course and 85 per cent of all who successfully com-pleted the Course passed the written Foreign Service Examina-tion. Approximately 20 per cent of all non-University candidates passed during the same period.

Tuition for the Course is \$200,

payable on the opening day of the Course. In addition, a fee of \$3 (non-refundable) is payable at the time of application.

State Department regulations require that the applicant for the Foreign Service Examination (1) shall be over 20 and under 31 years of age as of July 1 of the year in which the Examination is to be taken, (2) shall have been a

citizen of the United States for at

citizen of the United States for at least ten years, and (3) shall not be married to an alien.

Application to take the Foreign Service Examination must be made to the Division of Recruitment of the Department of State by July 1, 1954. Correct forms may be obtained from the Department of State or from the Director of the Foreign Service Review Course.

Hillel Names Lit Winners

RESULTS OF THE B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation Literary Contest were announced by the judges last Wednesday night.

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The winning entries are: (1) short story—Willard Clopton's "A Stroll Through Town," a science fiction theorizing of things to come: (2) essay—Stephen Hunt's "A College Man's Letter to His Young Sister": (3) poetry—Norma Gigli's "Shoes," a musing in the manner of Robert Frost.

Three poets receiving honorare.

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Three poets receiving honorable mention for poetry were Audrey Thomas, last year's first place winner; Lewis Myers, who also received honorable mention last year, and Ellen Sincoff. The honorable mentions were awarded for overall merit, rather than any specific poem.

Bulletin Board

National Honorary Fetes New Initiates

• THE SLATE OF OFFICERS for the 1954-1955 period for the Newman Club of the George Washington University are as follows: Richard A. Haefs, president; Shirley A. Camus, vice-president; Evelyn R. Schlosser, secretary; Jeannine Miller,

president; Evelyn R. Schlosser, secretary; Jeannine Miner, treasurer; John D. McLain, parliamentarian; Erma Flores, senior delegate; Catherine
Pendleton, junior delegate; at the Continental Hotel in honor of new members. The pledges to be initiated into Beta Mu Chapter are: Thomas M. Brown, Albert L. ligious council delegate.

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THE ANNUAL BANQUET sponsored by the Lester F. Ward Sociological Society will be held on Thursday, at 7 p.m. at the Dupont Plaza Hotel. Alpha Kappa Delta, national sociological honorary, will initiate six new members into the University chapter. The initiates are: Berthold Brenner, Anita Sue Duvall, Mrs. Shirley Richards, Mrs. Lillian Saxe, Emily Schultz, and Helen Statts.

THE UNIVERSITY BAND will hold its final practice of the spring

THE UNIVERSITY BAND will hold its final practice of the spring semester tomorrow night, at 8:45 p.m. in Studio A, Lisner Auditorium. Anyone interested in droping in to listen, play, or inquire about. Band for next year will be welcome. In addition to musicians, the Band is looking for more baton twiplers—either gitls or boys. The the Band is looking for more baton twirlers—either girls or boys. The fall schedule is being planned now and a few summer meetings will be held for those who wish to keep in practice. With the Band now firmly established, plans for improvement and expansion of the Band program are now under way.

ALPHA KAPPA PSI, National Professional Fraternity in Business Administration, Commerce Professional Fratering in Loss-ness Administration, Commerce and Finance will initiate five pledges on Sunday, Following the initiation, a banquet will be held

DRAFTSMEN'S & ENGINEERS' 1332 MUTH 7334 Balto. Ave. College Park, Md. at the Continental Hotel in nonor
of new members. The pledges to
be initiated into Beta Mu Chapter
are: Thomas M. Brown, Albert L.
D'Epiro, Arthur D. Hoffman,
Donald E. Lucas, and John Pruzza.

MEMBERS OF THE AFROTC • MEMBERS OF THE AFROTC Honor Flight visited Philadelphia last week end to compete in the annual Pershing Rifles National Competition. The annual fedran inspection also took place last week. Members of an inspection team from AFROTC Headquar-ters at Montgomery, Alabama, in-spected the University unit and found it satisfactory.

Hillel Awards Certificatesfor Student Help

• THE ANNUAL AWARD BAN-QUET of the B'naf B'rith Hillel Foundation will be held this Sun-day at 7:15 p.m. at 2129 F. Street, N.W.

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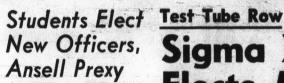
This event will feature the awarding of Hillel certificates for the members of the student body who have done most to further the varied activities of the Foundation. Special mention will be made of those students who excelled in the religious, cultural and social welfare fields. An announcement will also be made during the banquet of the results of the Hillel election returns.

The banquet is the high point of the year's activities and will be prepared by the B'nai B'rith Argo Women, Mrs. G. Maizel, Hillel Chairman.

Reservations may be made by

Chairman.

Reservations may be made by phoning ME. 8-5417.



• EDWARD O. ANSELL is the new president of the University Student Bar Association, accord-ing to last week's election.

This third-year night student, who works with the Federal Communications Commission as a radio engineer, will assume leadership of the 938-member organization for law students.

Ansell, who is from Superior, Wisconsin, received his B.S. degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1948.

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Vice-presidents are Edward G.
Fenwick and Frederick H. Braun.
Fenwick is a graduate of the University of Virginia, and Braun received his M.E. degree from the University of Cincinnati.
Treasurer of the association is William Archbold, who is a graduate of Syracuse University. Secretary is Betty Neal, who graduated from the University of Iowa.
Other officers are the six mem-

ated from the University of Iowa.
Other officers are the six members of the association's Board of Governors: William Driscoll, John Dominguez, William Perry, Arthur L. Branning, Ronald W. Mayes and G. Lloyd Knight.

Founder's Day Sees Pi Phi's Receive Cup

• THE OLDEST SORORITY on campus, the Alpha chapter of Pi Beta Phi, was honored as one of the three outstanding chapters in the United States at their recent

the United States at their recent Founder's Day luncheon. Dean Elmer Kayser, of the division of University Students, addressed this gathering of actives, alumni and six "50 year" Pi Phi's, on the background of United States problems in Indo-China. The Philadelphia Vase Award was presented to the actives for their "outstanding campus activities".

was presented to the actives for their "outstanding campus activi-ties, grades, and support of the national program" by Mrs. Beryle Pledger of the Alpha alumni. One of the national programs that the Alpha chapter has ac-tively participated in is the Gutt-linburg, Tenn., settlement house.

Rich's RESTAURANT FAMOUS FOR BLINTZES 500 19th Street at E, N.W. SANDWICHES, HOT PLATES Lunch 11-3, Oinner 4-9 SUNDAY DINNER 1 TO 9 P.M.

Sigma Xi Society **Elects Members**

• SIGMA Xi Honor Society announces the election of the following officers: Dr. Paul W. Bowman, Biology department, president; Dr. Mary Louise Robbins, Bacteriology department, vice-president; and Dr. William F. Wager, Chemistry department, and Dr. Berdonin W. Smith Picebacker. ment, treasurer. Dr. Benjamin W. Smith, Biochemistry department, who was elected last year for a two-year term, cause manufacturers had adopted

remains as secretary.

A total of 62 graduate members and two undergraduate members were elected to membermembers were elected to membership in the society, and Dr. Clarke Davison of the Pharmacology department and Mr. James N. Mosel of the Psychology department were elected as faculty members.

Elect Undergraduates
The election of the two undergraduates, Thomas A. Farley and Gerald R. Lynch, was made on the basis of outstanding scholarship and marked excellence in two or and marked excellence in two or more departments of pure or ap-plied science during completion of at least two and one-half years of work toward a degree. Both un-dergraduates demonstrated their ability in the Physics and Chem-istry departments istry departments.

The Committee on Admissions to the Society during the coming year will be composed of Dr. Frank M. Weida, Statistics department, and Dr. Ira R. Telford, Anatomy department, and Dr. Lawson Yocum, Botany department ment

Formal installation of officers and initiation of the newly elected members will take place on May 22 at the annual banquet of the

Final Lecture Presented
The final lecture of a series
presented by Sigma Pi Sigma,
Physics Honor Society, in conjunction with the University Physics
Colloquium will be held on Monday, May 10, at 8:30 p.m. in Room
100, Corcoran Hall. Mr. Isadore
Nimeroff of the National Bureau
of Standards will speak on "H
Waves in Dielectric Strip Transmission Lines." This Jecture is
open to the public.
About ten years ago cancer researchers discovered that a substance found in one of the earliest
crude forms of penicillin would

crude forms of penicillin would kill animal cancer tissue in test

By the time these researchers By the time these researchers became convinced of the value of this substance, their small supply was exhausted. They were unable to obtain an additional supply bebetter and more rapid means on penicillin productions.

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Dr. Ivor Cornman, Research Professor of Anatomy in Medical School, recently wished to obtain a new supply of this crude form to further investigate its possibility as a weapon to fight cancer. He contacted several drug manufacturers in an effort to obtain such a form.

obtain such a form.

The Schenley Laboratories, Inc., of Lawrenceburg, Indiana, volunteered to manufacture a supply of the early type for Dr. Cornman, even though it has no present commercial value. Dr. Cornman believes the possibility exists that this penicillin substance may eventually prove useful in treating human cancer.

Debate Team Posts Record Of Eight Wins

• THE UNIVERSITY debate team, led by its coach, Professor George E. Henigan, posted a rec-ord of eight wins and two defeats in reaching the quarter-finals in the Eighth West Point National Invitational Debate Tournament held at West Point on April 21 to 24.

The University debaters were The University debaters were defeated in the quarter-finals by San Diego, but in winning their first seven debates, the university's team of James A. Robinson and Charles T. Lynch went farther in the tournament before meeting defeat than any other team in the select field of thirty-four teams from all parts of the United States.

Jim Robinson, who had placed

Jim Robinson, who had placed fifth and third in Individual Speaking ratings at the West Point Tournament during 1951 and 1952, was rated as the second best individual speaker of this year's tournament tournament.

tournament.

In debating this year's National Question, "Resolved that the United States should adopt a policy of free trade," the university debaters made as fine a showing as they have ever made in their attempts to win the Sigurd S. Larmon Trophy.

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Thursday and Friday, May 6 and 7 J. Arthur Rank's fine production THE TITFIELD THUNDERBOLT (Technicolor) with Stanley Hollo-way, George Ralph, at 6:25, 9:30-"DESPERATE MOMENT" with Dirk Bogarde, Mai Zetterling, Philip Friend at 7:55

Saturday, May 8

"EAST OF SUMATRA"
(Technicolor) with Jeff Chandler,
Anthony Quinn, Marilyn Maxwell,
at 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 10:00

"WILLIE AND JOE BACK AT
THE FRON?"
with Tom Ewell, Harrey Limbeck,
Mari Blanchard at 2:20, 5:20, 5:20

Today only,

unday and Monday, May 9 and 10 brought back by popular request, "LILI" (Technicolor) with Leslic Caron, Mel Ferrer, can Pierre Aumont, Kurt Kasner, Sunday at 1:00, 2:40, 4:20, 6:10, 00 9:55. Monday at 6:15, 5:05, 9.55.



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• APPOINTMENT OF Dr. Helen egar Stone as Education Counselor of the University was anunced by Max Farrington, Assistant to the President.

A Northwestern University graduate, Dr. Stone received her M.A. in 1949 and Ph.D. in 1954 from that university. She has been affiliated with Northwestern as Personnel Technician, College Exiner and Instructor in Psy-

The Federal Security Agency held her attention before coming to the University. Dr. Stone and her late husband founded Kokomo Junior College in Indiana and became affiliated with the University of Indiana when it absorbed the smaller school naller school.

She is a member of Psi Chi, psychology honorary; Phi Gamma Delta, education honorary; the American Psychological Association and the National Vocational Guidance Association. She is also a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

RUDIN Member at Large

Handbook on Boards

• THE FRESHMAN HAND-BOOK, long a dream in the minds of many, will become a reality in the fall of 1954.

The booklet, which will contain

between 64 and 73 pages, is designed to acquaint the new freshman with the University and the organizations and activities open to him. In addition to information

on athletics, fraternities, sororities, the religious, social and academic clubs and social organizations, there will be a section on the traditions of the University such as Homecoming, Student Council elections and the Career Conference.

It will also include a calendar of events for the academic year and requirements for graduation and majors.



Tom Brown

FOR **PRESIDENT** Student Council

- Gate and Key Secretary IFC Activities Chairman
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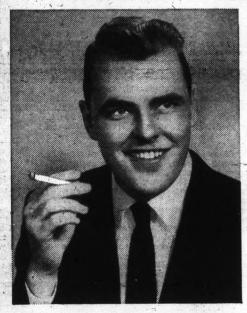
- Colonial Boosters Pep Rally Committee

For Student Council President **JOHN** Buckinghai



- Co-Chairman, Homecoming Committee
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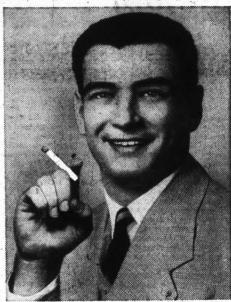
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Editorials

The Two Bills

 STUDENT INTEREST WAS rampant at the dramatic readings given last week by William Callahan and Lt. Blatty.
The place was well chosen. Lisner Lounge provided the

right atmosphere, being large enough to accommodate a large crowd, and small enough for informality.

The crowd that turned out on all three nights certainly. proved that student interest for dramatic readings is there, and Mr. Callahan and Lt. Blatty are certainly to be con-

gratulated for seeing it.

The "two Bills" are also to be congratulated on their choice of material. The intellectual capacities of the student body have been underestimated, and the very favorable-reaction to the readings seems to prove that the student body can enjoy Shakespeare, Thurber and O'Neill as well as football.

It is certainly to be hoped that Mr. Callahan and Lt. Blatty will be able to continue, and possibly expand, their series of readings next year.

The Informer

TO THE ELECTORATE:

On Wednesday and Thursday, you will be able to exercise your right and aid in removing sterility right and aid in removing sterility which characterized past elections. Your vote is your voice. But your voice strikes a dull note unless you know why you are voting. This column is an attempt to offer you some of the backgrounds of the candidates who will represent you. will represent you.

Taking first things first, the presidency is of prime importance. Two men, Tom Brown, Phi Sigma Kappa, and John Buckingham, Kappa, and John Buckin SAE, have filed for the po

SAE, have filed for the position and are in the process of a high pressure campaign.

Brown, from all appearances, is soft spoken and competent. Although he has held but one administration. ministrative position, that of Phi Sig president, he has entered into

Sig president, he has entered into other activities. He has completed all undertakings efficiently.

Whereas Tom Brown is soft spoken, his opponent John Buckingham is outspoken. He has tackled all tasks with voracity nonparallel. He too has served as president of his fraternity, but his main contribution comes from his main contribution come the successful homecoming program of this school year. (He was co-chairman of the Homecoming committee.)

committee.)
Light has been thrown on a rather interesting aspect of the presidential bout. There has been much speculation as to the alignment of the Greeks. While your reporter was monitoring phone calls, he came across a bit of news. In viewing the activities of one Harry Gordon, Brown's (Continued on Page 7)

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Combo Pledges

• WANTED-FOUR HUNDRED students to sign pledges to buy Campus Combos by the end of the semester!

Under the Campus Combo plan, student organizations such as the Cherry Tree, dramatic activities and the Homecoming dance will be insured of student support from the be-

It may be noted that the Campus Combo is another nail in the coffin of student apathy. Sponsored and supported by you, it will join the Student Club and the 1954 freshman handbook as evidence that your activities are not dying of dis-

It takes five minutes to save twelve dollars on activities year—five minutes to fill out a pledge in the Student Activities office. Four hundred pledges are needed-sign yours

Winning Entries

A College Man's better
To His Young Sister
by Stephen Hunt
Dear Katherine,
There are few quiet pleasures

There are few quiet pleasures denjoy as much as reading your delightful letters when they come. But your letter of last week wasn't merely delightful, it was stimulatingly thoughtful and pleased me more than any you have written before. What a promising sign that you are looking forward not quite superficially to your first year at college, now but a season away; and how inspiriting to my self-confidence that you should ask me the quesbut a season away; and how in-spiriting to my self-confidence that you should ask me the ques-tion you did. Though, of course, I can give you only a partial, per-sonal answer, I think you will not find this letter so unintelligible later as at first it may seem. There is a sympathy between us, Katherine, and your opinions will probably resemble these of mine when your experience includes when your experience includes higher education.

higher education.

"What is the greatest problem I will face at college?" you asked in your letter. I like the choice of "greatest problem" and "college" instead of many problems and a specific school. Your main problem, as you almost guessed, will be the same practically anywhere at school. Your greatest problem will be your adjustment to the grand inheritance of knowledge from centuries past and to your professors' interpretive presentations of that inheritance. Some of your friends will feel that emotional relationships are

that emotional relationships are their main problems. You should neither despise them nor forget that the world is little improved that the world is little improved by common people forever doing common things. Your charm will be better used to combat the cynicism that a good education seems to lead to. When you solve the greatest problem of college, yours will be the confidence that is facility in lesser problems.

Perhaps, dear, you have read, "One goes to college to learn how much he doesn't know." If you have, 't read this, you have sure-

muci he doesn't know." If you have it read this, you have surely heard something else a little
ambiguous, a little tedious, about
the tremendous amount of knowledge you will gaze at in outline
and never know intimately. Even
the succinct gleamings presented
to you by your professors will be
weighed with details and data,

which, unless you face them with some plan, will stagger you to in-effectiveness and an arrant belief

effectiveness and an arrant belief in futility.

You will see early in college that your plan, your answer, your adjustment will at first be not so much to all knowledge as to the segments and scannings of total knowledge which are thought most intellectually awakening fo most intellectually awakening for the many. When you begin, your adjustment may seem less than imperative; still, sometime you must adjust to the despair-breeding truth that there is more knowledge than time to master it. knowledge than time to master it. While you wait, the problems will not melt, as it would if you were daily improving a plan into an effective habit. You will meet people whose adjustments satisfy themselves but will not satisfy you.

You will meet conscientious plodders. They carry stout note-books, know how to answer every books, know how to answer every question, but do not know how to question. Though they have en-viable methods of mastering in-terpreted knowledge from their professors, when college is fin-ished so is their education. Se-curity-stricken scholars, they con-tuse a few years' familiarity with curity-stricken scholars, they con-fuse a few years' familiarity with interpretations from those su-preme students, the teachers, as an understanding of the entirety of knowledge. They garner their grades and are never disquieted by what they do not know be-cause they find comfort in fairly-won averages and diplomas. Com-mencement is the end.

You will meet personal oppor-

You will meet personal oppor tunists. They are nervous and unself-confident when introduced unself-confident when introduced to academic knowledge, and take refuge in what has apparently not failed them before: an applicable understanding of human nature. They study their professors more than they study books—unless their professors have written books. If their professors have published personal grootynists books. If their professors have written books. If their professors have published, personal opportunists borrow the books, eye for italicized sentences and twelve-point type headings in one quick skimming, and later quote flatteringly from memory at awaited classroom moments.

They also memorize during lectures the favorite phrases of their instructors and incorporate these

instructors and incorporate these phrases, set off by cute quotation marks, in test answers. It is they, too, who notice that test answers and laboratory drawings

handed in on the tops of piles are, sometime afterward, correct-ed first before the professors are tired and less merciful. The postired and less merciful. The pos-sibility that their professors may think they stayed the entire test hours and full laboratory periods because of interest is not unpre-dicted by their alert minds. Nor is the worth of a smile, an in-gratiating voice, or understanding eyes. The personal opportunists, pursue dollars after graduation the same way they have pursued degrees.

degrees.
Finally, you will meet escapists
in your college life; they are in
college to escape life. Mastering
by some plan that knowledge
which has been selected for them and afterward using their plan to wrest meaning from knowledge in general, concerns them not at all. They have stumbled at smaller tasks. Books are their anesthetics to oblivion; they are going no-

ics to oblivion; they are going nowhere else.

I won't advise you definitely how to adjust to the diversity of knowledge that is our generation's legacy. Advice is an answer; and, as in the cause in long division, knowing the answer first doesn't mature your method. Here, however, are a few replies, Katherine.

Katherine.

You need not study everything to see all. To read minutely about the final third of the nineteenth century is to understand modern America; to memorize "Kubla Khan" is, to comprehend Coleridge; to know well seven plants and as many animals is to appreciate kingdoms. You will create a feeling for what is important, an intuition that enables you to guess accurately the whole from an assiduous scrutiny of significant parts. You will have used more broadly than, the conscientious plodders one method

significant parts. You will have used more broadly than. the conscientious plodders one method of theirs, yet not have been made complacent by it.

You shouldn't think the entire manner of personal opportunists is too studied for you, who possess a young woman's self-esteem, to accept and apply in part. Ideals when slightly adulterated gain fivescore in effectiveness what they lose in purity. If you regard human nature you will quicken an empathy between you and your professors, an empathy fraught with the essence of what you study. If you accept your professors on a controlled personal plane instead of a cold peda-

Literary gogic plane, you will prosper in understanding as well as in the evident symbols of that underretreated symbols of that understanding: grades and diplomas. Perhaps you will question the worth of grades and diplomas, disdain scrambling after them with students who are insensible to inward applause. Intangibles like progress in learning gain strength in symbols, even if the symbols be arbitrary. Question, certainly, but beware of extremes, both visionary and realistic. The subleties of personal opportunists are so insidiously effective that, if you accepted and applied themall, you could outwardly be a success and inwardly be an unconscionable sloth.

Even the escapist is someone from whom you can gain an idea standing: grades and diplomas

from whom you can gain an idea helpful in your adjustment learning. To become fond knowledge with the same ferv learning. To become fond of knowledge with the same fervor as is his, yet not to be driven by his motives, is to be aided by that peculiar insight which is the nat-ural accompaniment of a strong fondness.

fondness.
But this letter has grown very But this letter has grown very long, dear. I am sure you will solve the greatest problem of college (and of all your later intellectual life) when your turn comes. Most students do, and they will welcome you among them with a happy understanding of the adjustment you have made.

Short Story A Stroll Through Town by Willard Clopton

was early afterno It was early afternoon.

The wind furrowed down along the dusty thoroughfares, between the shantied blocks, spading up quantities of dust and tossing them back and up to the winds. The sun glowed faintly through the purplish powdery mist, lighting the small near-Chicago town in its summer lethargy, lighting the small village of women and children and old men.

Bent Angus McBride, his tan-

hildren and old men.
Bent Angus McBride, his tapping ferrule preceding him, shuffled slowly down Moss Parkway, pausing at length by a section of rotted, knotted pine fence.

"The vegetable man is late," said Mrs. Anderson, speaking to him from across the moldering barricade.

"Yes," McBride replied. "As always."

"Listen!" Anderson.

Anderson. "Listen!"

Silence. Then, from somewhere
through the powder air, came the
raucous "Hey!" of the vegetable
man and the metronomic hooffalls of his transportation. Louder
they became, until, with a morbid wagon squeak and a jingle of
chains, the animal was around the corner and the vegetable man was on their street.

Contest

was on their street.

Mrs. Anderson cried: "Hi, Mr.
Lewis! What have you today?"
"Parsnips,"
"Only parsnips."
"Only parsnips."
"Nothing else? Not even perhaps a head of . . ."

haps a head of . . ."
"Only parsnips. "C'est la guerre, Mrs. Anderson. It is the

war."

"Oh, the devil take c'est la guerre!" Indignation tumbled out with her words. "I have two young daughters that eat, you know, and two old parents: Are they supposed to subsist upon a diet of beans, hardtack, or whatever vegetable the Army decides it can spare us each week? Parsnips! It's been parsnips every day this week!"

The grocer squirmed on his

nips! It's been parsnips every day this week!"

The grocer squirmed on his wagon seat. "I'm sorry, Mrs, Anderson. I can't help it. The Home Front Commission makes

the rules—I just obey them. This week we have parsnips—next week, perhaps carrots."

The rage of importance was in Mrs. Anderson. "Parsnips! Carrots! C'est la guerre! Oh, my Heavenly Father!" She turned to McBride. McBride.

McBride.

"You see? You see?" she cried. "It's a little phrase they have that explains away everything, even their blatant ineptitude. There is no longer any such thing as incompetence. There is only c'est la guerre. Pah!"

McBride nodded patiently.

"Forty-two cents," said Mr. Lewis, weighing.

McBride tapped on down the

McBride tapped on down the street and around the corner. Everyone has troubles, he was thinking. A dull, cold, solid object in his coat pocket nudged his side at every motion. He wished he could forget it was there.

"Hi, Angus!"

"Hi, Angus!"
The voice belonged to Ed Dorkle, standing erect in his front yard. The old man was in his sixties, but the corroded lawn mower which he propelled must have been many years his senior. (See STORY, Page 5)

"Hi, Ed," said McBride. "How

"H, Ed," said McBride. "How are you?"

They met at the edge of the yard and clasped hands.

A little girl appeared on the sidewalk, She was wide-eyed and about nine years old. "Hey, mister," she said to Ed. "Yes?"

"What are you doing?"

"I'm mowing the lawn."

"What do you mean, 'mowing the lawn?"

the lawn'?"

Ed stopped and rubbed the back
of his hand wearily across his
sweated brow. "I'm cutting the

of his hand wearily across his sweated brow. "I'm cutting the grass," he said quietly.
"Oh," said the little girl. She looked around the little plot, then gazed sadly at the old man.
"But there's no grass here," she said.

" said Ed Dorkle slow-

"I know," said Ed Dorkle slowly. "But there was, once."

Ed turned and McBride fell
into step with him and the rusted
wheels creaked on, the oxidized
blades shaving the imaginary
sward. The little girl went away.

"Gone to tell the other kids
about the daffy old codger who's
over on Vine Ayenue cutting fictional grass," said Ed. He chuckled softly to himself, then sobered
abruptly. "But I'm not daffy,"
he said. "There's nothing wrong
with me."

"Of course not, Ed." said Mc-

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'Of course not, Ed," said Mc-

Bride.
Creak. Creak. The mower devoured the greenness that only Ed could see. A wave of sadness washed over McBride.

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"I know there's no grass down there," said Ed suddenly. "It's just, well, the other day, I happened to remember one day when I was fourteen or fifteen when I went out and mowed my first lawn, for hire. Made good pocket money at it in those days. That was a long time ago. About fifty was a long time ago. About fifty years ago. What year is this years ago.

"Nineteen ninety-seven, I

"Yes, a long time ago. Long-before the War started. I lived in Chicago then." Ed stopped and looked off at the horizon.
"Well anyway, I got to hink-

and looked off at the horizon.
"Well, anyway, I got to thinking about how everything was better then, and good. I thought if maybe I went out and pushed the mower around for a while, that it would sort of bring it all back again. Sort of a link with the past. I know it sounds crazy—do you understand what I mean, Angus?"

"Yes, Ed. I think I understand."

Poem

Shoes by Norma Gigli

And it was just last week .

almost...
He was sayin':
"No, sir, I'm not afraid to die.
Can't you see my shoe
Caked from the blood o' my sow;
Sometimes you kill the pig to

eday I'll go too."

shoes?
See how they stand so erect
Like his feet was in them now.
Straight he always was
Like a soldier. What should we do with his

No, don't sell.

See where the laces are worn

And still there's the blood from
the cow's birthin'.

Remember how he pinched her bag And water spurt like one o' them

geysers.

He talked about it many a day.

Like a vicious spa, he said

Knocked him clear over ont' the

hay.
How calm he worked
And the calf came out chokin'.
How easy he unloosed the string
Then it breathed again,

But take them away from the I can't stand to see them there.

No . . . No . . . leave them stay Where they belong . . . Just another day.

The cinders knotted their last red Coils
Snuffing out the muted chair—
Leaving the shoes in darkness
To face in silent counterpart . . .
And stare, SEL THOTH SE

"We had our own fine house then, instead of the shack I have now." Ed indicated his crumbling dwelling. "We had a lot of things we don't have now-radios, newspapers; later on, television. And everybody had a car." Ed laughed quietly.

"What is it?" asked McBride.

"Talking about cars, I was thinking about the mayor's car." He chuckled again and McBride

"Yes. A '59 Ford, isn't it?"
"And a sturdy old rascal—the only car in town," said Ed. "The year after he bought it, The War began. Mayor Peet hasn't been able to get any spare parts since. Remember when the Home Front Commission thought them, wanted Commission thought they it? I guess they did, until they got a look at it. Still, it's a car

McBride heard whispering be-

hind him and turned.
"Look here," he said. Ed turned to see the street full of children, the little girl prominently in their

idst.
"Well, well," said Ed. "The
essage had gone around—the
matic's escaped! Time to go in."
Ed turned to McBride and they hands.

ook nands. "I'll see you later, Angus." id. He turned towards "I'll see you later, Angus." Ed said. He turned towards his house, gave the mower a final push, then went in. The mower creaked on for a moment underthe momentum of the shove, chewing and spitting the visionary grass, then stopped, and the handle dropped with a clatter. The children dispersed, whispering and pointing.

McBride's silver-tipped cane led him several blocks east, several north, then down the main street of towh, which was Main Street. All along the way, with the small, cold weight jouncing in his pocket, the thought buzzed in his head: Can I do it? Should I? Can I?

"What is it?" a little boy asked.

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The little girl said, "I don't know."

She was about eleven; the boy about eight. They stood on the sidewalk in front of the puzzling anachronism with its dirty spectrum facade, wondering, as every child in town did sooner or later.

They gazed at the giant letters, each as big as their heads, each a different color.

"D-A-N-A," the girl spelled out; then she skipped to the line below. "A-N-D-R-E-W-S. I wonder what it means!"

A rugged brown face smiled down on them from behind a glass mask encrusted with thirty-seven years of dirt.

"And who is he?" wondered the girl.

"Maybe he's one of Them" the

girl

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"Maybe he's one of Them," the little boy suggested. "No. He looks too nice." "What's that, you suppose?" The boy indicated the glass-pan-eled booth! "What does that sign

say?"
"'Adults forty cents four cents

"'Adults forty cents four cents tax children twenty-two cents three cents tax."

"What does it mean?"

"Tdon't know."

They contemplated the spectacle ruminatively. The boy then moved stealthily to the entrance-way and pulled open the door. He gazed within for a long moment. Then he turned away and noticed, for the first time, McBride standing near.

ing near.
"Mister," he said; "What do

"Mister," he said; "What do ou call this place?"
"A theatre. A movie house," tid-McBride.
The boy puzzled on that for a toment. Then he said:
"I don't see why you call it all the control of the control that.

McBride foresaw the futility of McBride foresaw the futility of explanation. He moved on down the street, and immediately bumped into a fortyish woman carrying a package.

"Why, Mister McBride," she said: "I haven't seen you for months. Not since you moved away from my rooming house."

"Hello, Mrs. Mulcahy. How are you?"

you?

you?".
"Fairly, Mr. McBride. Only fairly. The way things are going, you know. And you?"
"Well, thank you."
Mrs. Mulcahy lowered her voice and husked, "Mr. McBride, I'm worried."

worried."
"About the world situation, you

mean?

"I don't imagine you're alone in that respect."

"Last week they cut out the meat ration and this week the milk. And they're lowering the

milk. And they're lowering the clothing allotment again. Things must be going very badly."

"Yes, Mrs. Mulcahy, I imagine they are." The old man relaxed, supported by his cane. "Last thing I heard by grapevine," he said, "was that They were in control of most of Michigan and Indiana and northern Ohio. That was three days ago."

"That mean—if it's true..."

s three days ago.
"That means—if it's true . . ."
should be here "Yes. They should shortly."

The woman gazed thoughtfully into the middle distance.
"I wonder—I wonder where John is—if he's alive even."
"It is unfair, not allowing husbands to correspond with their wives. But I suppose they just don't have the facilities."

don't have the facilities."
"But—he's not seen his daughter in eight years. She was just six when he left. And John Junior was in gestation."
"No," McBride replied softly, "he's not seen him at all."
"Mister McBride!" She had a sudden , thought. "If anything should happen—I think I'd rather die than see John Junior go to Their schools!" Their schools!

"Now, Mrs. Mulcahy ..."
"I mean it! Oh, this war! This foolish, foolish war!"
McBride dried her eyes with his handkerchief and spoke a few words of encouragement. He turned to leave her and tottered off towards the center of town. And suddenly, The Rumble was in the air.

in the air.

Everybody came out of their shacks and shops and looked up at the sky with hands on hips as The Rumble came on and grew loud and blocked the light.

As usual, the paper snow began to fall.

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The children scurried out like small white mice attracted by something and danced and lashed about the streets, waiting for the flakes to come down. And when these began to arrive, the children, jigged about frantically, like hungry, scavengers, pinching up the sheets whose meticulously aligned printing suggested capitulation in an extremely nice and lation in an extremely nice and attractive manner, and made piles of them, most of which went into of them, most of which went into the shacks for fuel or for house-cleaning purposes, or for some-thing else; and then the children had a game with what was left, creasing the papers into darts and gliders and contesting to de-termine whose would fly highest termine whose would fly highest or perform the most intricate gy-

rations.

Soon, the shadow passed over and The Rumble faded eastward.

McBride watched the children for a while, then continued on his

way.

At Main and Forest, McBride ran into his granddaughter, Sylvia, dark-complexioned and seven-

"Hello, Granpa. What are you doing out?"

you doing out?"

"Just taking a walk, dear. I needed the exercise. What are you doing?"

"I'm—well, it's hard to explain, Granpa. But I'll tell you. I'm glad you came along. You're the only one in town I can talk to."

"What about your mother?"

"What about your mother?"

Sylvia made a deprecating esture. "Mother's all right in gesture. "Mother's all right in some things. I mean, she understands me. But there are some things she doesn't know much more about than I do. You do, because you—well, you..."

"I was around before The War. Is that what you mean?"

"I was around before The War. Is that what you mean?"
"Well, yes. And, well, you understand me too."
"Fairly well, I suppose. Now what did you want to talk about?"
Sylvia proffered a book which she had had clasped under her arm. It was yellow and dusty and obviously very old.
"I found this book this morning in our attic and I started reading it. It's about a girl my age who marries a 'college' boy.

age who marries a 'college' bo I asked Mother about it, but sh said she'd never even looked at those old books. Maybe you can tell me. What's a 'college' boy? And what is it like to get mar-

ried?"

The old man tapped his against his shoe tip. He studied the back of his hand for a time

before answering.
"Dear," he said at last; "those are difficult questions and I don't know if I can put them into terms familiar to you. Colleges, to simplify things, were schools, oh, much larger than the local one you attended there. The questions were harder . ."—McBride gave the best explanation he could. "As for marriage, there, I suspect, is something you're mother can tell you about."

"I know this much," said Sylvia brightly. "To get married, I have to find a boy. And all the boys are gone away! Do you suppose they'll ever come back,

McBride forced cheer into his

McBride forced cheer into histone. It was difficult.
"I think they will, dear. Yes, I'm sure they will."
Sylvia smiled. "I hope so. Right now, the only boys I know are those." She pointed across the street to a row of buildings.
"Where?"
"Un there against the sides of

"Up there, against the sides of buildings. There's Bill, and there's Jerry, and that one's Roy. Those See?

posters. See?"
"Yes, dear; I see."
"That's why I come down here—so I can see them. I stand here and try to imagine that they are speaking to me. I wonder sometimes what their voices sound like."

They stood for a minute in si-lence. McBride felt deeply sorry, for the girl. It's a shame, he thought. A perfect shame. "Granpa, I have to go home-now. Mother said to be home by four."

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mother."
"I will. Goodbye." She pranced off down the street, her jacket of processed burlap following her lightly in the breeze. McBride stood for a while, arms behind his back, looking across the street.

his back, looking across the street.

The only young men in town, their brown, lean, hard, yet impressionable faces looked down at him with pasteboard eyes from under the rims of cardboard helmets. The words, it seemed to him suddenly, rang in his earsthe, white-lettered words overlying the background of patriotic hue: "Give, all you can," "Let's words overhue: "Give, all you can," "Let's
keep the ball rolling," "We're do
ing our part—you do yours,"
The chauvinies!

"Give all you can."

The chauvinistic posters were slung up aside every structure in town standing above six feet high —against the sides of shops, homes, even the churches. They were unavoidable. Now and then, when the rain would sog some of

were unavoidable. Now and then, when the rain would sog some of them down, someone would pass through and paste up some more. McBride wondered how many times Sylvia had stood scrutinizing carefully, trying to discern something human, solicitious, amidst this array of processed countenances, wondering how the voices might sound—how many times she had stood searching a lover amongst the ubipuitous hel-

times she had stood searching a lover amongst the ubipuitous helmeted heads, the town's only eligibles, who had no more to say to her than, "Give all you can."

Finally, he turned aside and continued his careful, time-consuming way down the street, feeling small for himself and extremely culpable for his generation. Down Hay Street, up Washington Avenue, away from the tion. Down Hay Street, up Washington Avenue, away from the heart of town, towards his destination, towards the cemetery, towards the shovel and dig his hole, stand at the edge, remove from his side pocket the small solid object, the tiny blue pistol that had been sitting in cosmolene for thirty-seven years, flick the catch, raise it to his temple and blast out the gray matter, then would

raise it to his temple and blast out the gray matter, then would fall into his hole and save the others the trouble of burying him. A block from the cemetery, he was frightened by a sudden sound, approaching him from behind. He turned.

Down the street came the Mayor's sedan, chugging, coughing

or's sedan, chugging, coughing and soliloquizing in a metallic undertone. McBride paused to watch it clatter past, remember-ing when the sight of a passing auto had been such a common thing. What would be passing

auto had been such a common thing. What would be passing now, he thought, was a joke.

Where the roof had been were now inadroitly attached parallels of unfinished pine: The right side windowpanes were of cardboard that fluttered in the breeze. There were no front windows nor were there any left side doors. The auto usually remained idle during the winter. The right

front wheel had been rudely carved from a block of wood. And the whole had been coated with heavy brown paint, applied to conceal the myrlad chips and scratches

The mechanized platypus banged and snorted its way along, but did not pass. Instead it halted beside McBride and Mayor Peet leaned out.
"McBride!" he boomed, in his

finest electioneering tone. Heaven I found you!"
"What's the matter?"

"What's the matter?"

"A courier arrived just a little while ago from the Home Front Commission. Our forces have evolved a new strategy. They are going to mousetrap The Foe and massacre him. The war should be over in a month!"

"What's that?" said McBride, approaching the auto.

"Exactly," said the mayor. "A mousetrap. Splendid strategy But McBride, we must evacuate

"Exactly," said the mayor. "A mousetrap. Splendid strategy! But McBride, we must evacuate the town. Oh, it's all right. It's all in line with the strategy. We'll be back in a month, maybe less. And everything will be all right then..."

For

For a moment, the mayor's cheerful mein fell away like a mask. A tear sprung into his eye. "Get along home, McBride, and pack," he said in a low tone, his eyes expressionless, his gaze straight ahead. "Everything will be all right," he repeated dully. The sturdy old, Ford coughed and rattled, and clattered off down the street.

McBride stood for a long moment. The mayor's message had been in his face, and not in his words.

ment. The mayor's message had been in his face, and not in his words.

So it's come at last, thought McBride. We sat and we suffered, and now we have to run, Run? How far? How long? Forever, and as far as we can get before They catch us and put bullets through our heads. McBride suddenly remembered his purpose in being where he was; after a moment, he chuckeled. Why bother, he thought. One of Them is going to do the job for me. But . . . He started again for the cemetery.

After two steps, a personalized sense of the enormity of the crime of his generation in permitting the war to come about went through him like an electric charge. He thought of Mrs. Mulcahy and her husband and the little boy who had never seen his father. He thought of the kids who didn't know what a movie was. Most sadly of all, he thought of his granddaughter.

father. He thought of the kids who didn't know what a movie was. Most sadly of all, he thought of his granddaughter, whom he had indirectly brought into the world. This world. This horrible, horrible world. His world. The emotion overwhelmed him. He saw that he had been running away for thirty years, running faster and faster. He realized that the time him wearon.

ning away for thirty years, run-ning faster and faster. He real-ized that the tiny blue weapon in his pocket was the fastest and easiest way a man can run. And suddenly he was tired of Tun-ning, and he started up a much younger man. There was some-thing, still something he could do. Not much, not very much, but

thing, still something ne could go.
Not much, not very much, but
They were coming and he could
still do something.
Angus McBride turned away
from the cemetery and towards
the heart of the town, away from
the dead and toward the living.

There was no morning the next day, as far as the citizens were concerned, because there had been no night; there had been no night; there had been no sleep. From the preceding afternoon until the following dawn, there was rattling and shouting and babies' cries and pounding and gruff orders, and when dawn came, the people who were running away creaked out their homemade wagons and carts and brought them around to the front of the houses and loaded them up with blankets and food and children and everything they could carry.

could carry.

Then, at eight, sorrowful goodbyes were said and the mayor's byes were said and the mayor's car, Mrs. Peet at the wheel for the first time after a frantic night of instruction, crept out of town, along the dust-choked boulevard, past the rachitic clapboard shacks in the outermost purlieus, where the old men, together with the more faithful of their wives, sat waiting for The Enemy, sat with shotguns evily tilted across their knees or with tiny blue pistols in their coat pockets, waving to the (See STORY, Page 10)

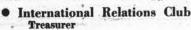
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The Light Brigade that charged the guns,
Across the battle plain
Can claim no greater glory than
The dedicated few
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cannot be influenced.

The withdrawal of Phyll Ames from the vice-presidential race has undoubtedly narrowed the field and probably thrown the office to Corky Devlin. Being a male and a varsity basketball player, Devlin has been as well brook and the company and the company of the company of the company of the company and the company of the company has become a well known campus

has become a well known campus figure. His opponent, Irma Flores, has two great obstacles—her femininity and her part-time status as a student.

Two neophytes irr campaign politics have filed for Advocate. Jay Brown, SAE and Law School student, will not only get support from his social fraternity but from his law fraternity. Pi Alpha Delta, as well. His opponent, Mark Spies, seems sure to poll all of Sigma Nu's votes.

Nu's votes.

Betty Lou Anderson, Kappa Betty Lou Anderson, Kappa Delta treasurer and Cherry Tree Princess, and "in full, LeRoy Henson Barnard, Jr." (is the Roy Barnard of Sigma Nu), have filed for comptroller. Miss Anderson has also served as treasurer of Junior Panhel and the Strong Hall Council. Barnard is assistant treasurer of the Clarendon Meth-

odist Church.

odist Church.

There are three aspirants for secretary—Aphy Macotsin (DG), Judy Moffett (Theta), and Roy Rothgeb (Kappa Sig). Rothgeb will be hampered by the fact that the secretaryship is normally considered to be an office reserved for females. Both Aphy and Judy are well qualified, they have been active on campus since they came to G.W. Aphy has shown her ability as the one member ticket committee for Homecoming, as president of Delta Gamma, and as a spirited cheerleader. She was also outstanding Big Sis of 1954. Judy is a diligent worker and an Judy is a diligent worker and an excellent student. She has served as secretary for both her sorority and Tassels.

and Tassels.

Carol Picton, KKG, pits her one year's experience on the Student Council against Betsy Silver's popularity as a cheerleader. Both of these have equal potentialities.

And now for the race of the opposites—Member at Large. This election will answer a big question: does the student vote for qualifications or headlines? In the past the office has added deadwood to the Council pile. This year the voter has the opportunity to activate the position that a year the voter has the opportunity to activate the position thru a man who has proven his ability and spontaneity at two schools, Weslyan University (Connecticut) and the University. Although Joe Holup's ability on the basketball floor is unquestionable, the Student Council floor requires a different sort of coordination. Jim Rudin's sensitivity to problems and ability in working them out more than prepares him for this office. In selecting the Student Union chairman, the voters would most likely choose someone who knows the intricacies of Union affairs. Arthur Kirsch presently manages the Student Union. This employment sees hand in band with the Student Union. This employ-ment goes hand in hand with knowledge of the Union's needs. Although Lucille Anstine has served on the Student Union Board and Henry Francis Beaumont (Beau) Martin is running on the "general improvement of Student Union efficiency" ticket bethere

"general improvement of Student Union efficiency" ticket, both are less experienced than Kirsch.

A tight three-way race looms for the Junior College representative post. Joe Hince, PiKA, Bill Hix DTD, and Beverly Borden, PiPhi, will have to dig in, grit their teeth, and slap some backs.

An égually hot race is detected

their teeth, and siap some backs.
An équally hot race is detected
in Columbian College. Ed Jaffee,
AEPi, Ann Quackenbush, KKG,
and Howard Roberts, Acacia can
hardly be separated as to qualifications, personalities and achievements.

ments.
Other balloting of the day will include Dottie Miller, PiPhi, and Lorna Ridyard, ZTA.
Uncontested posts are as follows: Freshman Director, Barbara Stuart; Program Director, Bobbie Ruth Moore; School of Education, Shirley Floyd and School of Government, Dayton Coe. ernment, Dayton Coe.

Fencing Meet

Everyone came out alive and the Fencing Club came out the winner in the annual fencing meet held last Wednesday in the gym. Sigma Nu was first among the fraternities. The top three individual scorers were Vernon Elder, Don Lee and Dean Melani.

THE UNIVERSITY HATCHET, Tuesday, May 4, 1954 -7

Apologies . . .

Apologies are hereby offered by the HATCHET correspondent for the phrase "self-proclaimed heroes" used in reference to the

Phi Sigma Kappa softball team. The wording was improperly used and no offense was meant to the sportsmanlike conduct exhibited by the Phi Sigs in all of their intramural encounters

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Junior College ...

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• TWO BOOSTER BOARDS were entertained at dinner on April 26 at Welling Hall.

Mr. C. Max Farrington, special assistant to President Marvin, was host to the outgoing (1953-54) and the incoming (1954-55) Colonial Booster Boards.

Lyn Henderson and Hal Mesirow, this year's co-chairman of the Board, spoke briefly thanking Mr. Farrington and the Board.

Doris Severe, new Boosters chairman, and Coach Myers, new adviser to the group, were introduced. The Board will begin work.

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• DR. GAYLORD M. CONZEL-MAN, Jr., who received his Ph.D. in pharmacology from the University in 1953, is one of the four young U. S. scientists to receive a Lilly Postdoctoral Fellowship in the Medical Sciences for this year, announced the Medical Fellowship Board of the National Academy of Sciences-National Research Coun-

cil.

This fellowship, which is supported by the Lilly Research Laboratories in Indianapolis, Indiana, will enable Dr. Conzelman to continue his studies dealing with certain 8-aminoquinolines (anti-malarial drugs) which have harmful effects on the blood, at the Christ Hospital Institute of Medical Research in Cincinnati, Ohio.

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Education Skit Cops Prize in All-U Follies

by Pat Burke

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THE ANNUAL ALL-U-FOL-LIES of last Friday night provided even more hilarity than usual.

"The Shooting of Dan McGWU," presented by the School of Education, took first place. A ghost like young Freshman battled wits with the dangerous Dan until both, having exhausted the supply of water necessary for the proper functioning of water pistols, lay prostrate upon the stage, John Holup added further zest to the performance by his varied interpretation of G. W. U. The skit was directed by Tom Douglass, "New Farces"

"New Farces"

"New Farces"

The Columbian College, presenting "New Farces of 1954," placed second. Pat Reed proved her abilities by a professional rendering of "Brownley's Beguine" with Frank Haynes as the silent partner. The plot thickened as an organization, which might possibly be compared to the Salvation Army, futilly attempted to save the souls of the wayward.

Sandy Kitchen, playing the part of an experienced lush, gave the organization much grief by using the solicited funds for somewhat dubious purposes. The skit was co-directed by Nan McKinney and

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Lyn Henderson, for the third straight year.

The judges were Dr. Bernice arman, Dr. Vera Mowry and r. Wilson Schmidt. The Master of Ceremonies was Russ Roberts. Other Skits Presented

Other Skits Presented
The Junior College production,
"What the Hell" was directed by
Sammy Economon. Jack Thorne
portrayed Satan with an experienced air. His family, appearing
on stage at odd intervals, so tormented Satan that, after a brief
interlude upon the University campus, he returns thankfully to Hades.



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Banquet; Alumni Present Awards • ROBERT MONTGOMERY was dent of Sigma Chi.

dent of Sigma Chi.

Engineer Alumni Association
Awards to outstanding graduates
in the four fields offered by the
University were won by Warren
Alonzo Guinan, in civil engineering; Bernard L. Kilday, Jr., in
electrical engineering; Joseph P.
Pendergast, in mechanical engineering; and Herbert H. Rosen. • ROBERT MONIGOMERY was presented the Theta Tau Activi-ties Award at the University En-gineers banquet last Saturday at the Hotel 2400. The award is given annually to the outstanding gradu-ate of the Engineering School. ate of the Engineering School.

Bob is editor of the Engineering
School magazine "Mecheleciv";
president of Pi Delta Epsilon,
journalism honorary; advertising
manager of the "Cherry Tree,"
Student Council delegate from the
Engineers Council; and vice-presineering; and Herbert H. Rosen,

Engineers Honor Montgomery

Keys were presented to Herb Rosen, president of the Engineers Council, and to the members.

to Robert Montgomery, editor, and graduating staff members.

The annual Engineers Ball followed the dinner.

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SHORT STORY

(Continued from Page 5)
passing caravan of younger folk,
on its way southward, to Joliet.
All day, women pushed wagons
and babies cried, while the sol-

emn procession weaved on the road, under the burn of the sun, its light barely translucent through the shade of the purple fog hanging low. At noon, they paused to break open bean cans and loaves of hardtack, and parsnips, and when they had fed and rested, the mayor's car beeped and they moved on again slowly and inexorably toward the south, like a pioneer wagon train. At five in the afternoon, the cortege undulated into the outskirts of Joliet, where the people met more hollow, frightened faces like their own, and by six, with the help of the men of Joliet, they had pitched a camp near the edge of town, where the women and children came out of their wagons and carts and stood, one multiand loaves of hardtack, and pars-

faceted eye, gazing North, from whence they had come, as if searching for those they had left—and East, across the glazed, speckled desert that had been Chicago—across that, to the tranquil azure of Lake Michigan, which, without being able to see it, they knew was there.

Suddenly, beginning faintly, the sky began to shake and make noise. The Rumble was on its way again. The people clambered into their frail carts and wagons and doused their candles and the coming darkness flowed

in around them. From within one of the carts, a voice, very small, very soft, almost no voice at all, tinkled up from its blanket depths. Perhaps three years old, with no distinguishable sex, the voice said: "Mamma, just because we came to visit Aunt Fan, why did all these other people come too?"

The Rumble grew loud. A wind began to rise, dragging a deep purple rain cloud across the horizon.

Twilight had come to the face of the Earth.

For an active Student Program Vote for an **Active Student**

Dottie Miller Activities Director

- Big Sis
- Pi Beta Phi Social Chairman Ass't Music Chairman
- University Dramatic Ac-tivities Stage Manager

· Glee Club

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- Student Union Manager, 1953
- Phi Alpha, Treasurer
- Hillel Council, 1952

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For Activities Director Lorna Ridyard



- · Zeta Tau Alpha
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- · Panhellenic Council
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Put Your Vote

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LUCY

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FRESHMAN



- Hatchet
- Chi Omega
- Tassels,
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Pi Delta Epsilon
- Women's Coordinating Board
- Big Sis

JUDY MOFFETT



- Kappa Alpha Theta Secretary Rush Chairman
- Tassels Secretary
- Alphe Lambda
- Dance Production

For

COUNCIL

ning job of Awards Chairman. She must maintain records of the activities and points of each girl who takes part in any sport at GW.

Sue Gichner is largely responsi-ble for the group's publicity pro-gram in her job as chairman of public relations.

Sports Coordinator is Freshmen Sandy Shoemaker. Sandy arranges for the sports days at the Univer-sity or at other colleges. Lee Humphrey serves as social chairman. Her job is to manage

Big Sis

social arrangements of various functions such as, luncheons and

THE WRA BOARD elects its officers annually. The Board itself is composed of girls interested in sports who have merely applied for membership on the Board.

Another group of people who help swell the number of Board members are the mañagers for each sport who are elected by the circle in their gray classes.

girls in their gym classes.

Present managers include: bad-

minton—Sandy Shoemaker, bas-ketball—Eleanor Baudino, bowl-ing—Doris Kirby, tennis—Bette Kolonia, swimming—Pat Delaney, field hockey—Bobbie Gore, and golf—Eleanor Baudino.

THE NEW WRA OFFICERS are already engaged in bringing this year's program to the annual climax

The annual awards dinner, un-der the direction of Jonia Emory, will be held May 11 in the Lisner

Auditorium Lounge, from 5:30-8:30.

THE UNIVERSITY HATCHET, Tuesday, May 4, 1954 -11

The three major awards that girls achieve in sports as well as girls achieve in sports as well as the major and minor letters and trophies will be presented. The outstanding girl athlete, as chosen by the physical education depart-ment, will be so crowned; the sen-ior girl with the most points dur-ing her career will be honored; and the senior girl who has con-tributed the most to WRA will be feted.

Vote for

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- * Welling Hall Representative
- * Varsity Track

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Qualified!!

JOE HINCE

Junior College Representative

- Freshman Class Rep. of Welling Hall
- Intramural Council
- Pi Kappa Alpha—Athletic Chairman
- All-U Follies

Sigma Chi, Phi Alpha Clash for Title

Rudin's

• THE COLONIAL TRACK took to the road one day last week for a meet with William and Mary. The results were an improvement over the opening meet. The Inover the opening meet. The Indians from Williamsburg won by a 75-48 score. Yet, things look better for the cindermen. Here's

why.

Len Ciemnecki gathered his usual high number of points, 15½ to be exact, Phil DeTurk copped a first in the javelin and a third in the high jump. Richie Gaskell took a first and a third, he won the 220. Ciemnecki copped the blue ribbon in the 100, the high and low hurdles.

John "Zimbo" Zimandonis and Joe Holup garnered some seconds and thirds in the shot and discus, while Earl McLain took a third in the half, the mile, and the two mile. Jaffe finished a strong second in his specialty, the mile.

Arlin Barr proved to be a fine

ond in his specialty, the mile.

Arlin Barr proved to be a fine sprinter and hurdler as he took two seconds. Bob Sturm finished third in the pole vault. Thus, the Bowers coached team placed in every event except the 440. Thingsare looking better, the next meet is next Monday at Richmond. (The Spiders from Virginia's capital whipped W&M 80-47. It looks like a blue Monday for the Buff, but one never knows.)

SIDELITES . Ed Jaffe ran against Wes Santee while at Missouri . It was an exhibition race and surprise of surprises . Santee of Kansas won . . Earl Mc-

souri . . It was an exhibition race and surprise of surprises . . Santee of Kansas won . . . Earl McLain who started the season as a miler has now become a 440 man . . Earl was a sprinter in high school . . . The meet with Richmond will be the last of 1954, and some people wonder whether it will be the last track meet at the University . . . the last one, that is, for many years.

Buff Nine Faces Va.

by Jerry Davis

SOME COCKY Virginia Cavaliers stroll into town Wednesday afternoon for a scrap with the Colonial baseballers.

The invaders will throw their chests out upon recollecting an earlier 10-7 conquest of GW at Charlottesville. Virginia turned the run-faucet tight on the Buff tossers to snuff out a late rally on some great relief pitching by Dave Northern in that game.

Steve Bauk, who was charged

Steve Bauk, who was charged with the loss in the first meeting, with the loss in the first meeting, may get a chance to redeem himself Wednesday. Either Bauk or another lefty Jerry Marvel are probable pitching choices for the tussle. Bauk has a 4-2 season mark and Marvel a 2-1 record.

The contest is scheduled to get under way at 2:30 p.m. at South Ellipse Field.

Prior to vesterday's game with

Ellipse Field.
Prior to yesterday's game with
Maryland, the Colonials had won
11 out of 17 starts.
Play Hoyas Thursday.
With a revenge gleam in their
eyes, the Georgetown Hoyas willbe shooting for a rebound triumph
over GW on Thursday at the Ellipse. The Colonials won the first
engagement, 4-3, with Bob Frederick, ace righthander, whiffing 15
batsmen.

batsmen.

Next Saturday, GW sets its travel sights on Morgantown, W. Va., where the doubleheader with West Virginia University is slated. It will be the second twin bill of the season for the Buff.

VMI, which holds a 6-4 verdict over the Colonials, plays here on South Ellipse next Monday rounding out the schedule for the coming week. The setback at the

ing week. The setback at the hands of VMI was the first South-

hands of VMI was the first South-ern Conference defeat for GW.

Last Friday, the Colonials got some sweet revenge over Wash-ington and Lee with a 5-3 deci-sion. It took an uphill spurt, with a three-run seventh inning, to pull the win out of the fire.

Favorites

• SIGMA CHI and Phi Alpha, the sole remaining undefeated intramural teams, will meet in the championship game next the championship game next week to determine the 1954 winner of the softball crown. The two nines have breezed through their opponents and hold 8-0 and 7-0 records, respectively. However, the Sigma Chi outfit will be slightly favored in next week's games, based on the top-notch pitching of George Dancu.

pitching of George Dancu.

In last Sunday's contest, Phi
Alpha had a surprisingly tough
time with the Kappa Sig club,
defeating them by a single run,
3-2. In other contests, AEPi defeated Welling Hall and the
Engineering School and lost to
PikA by a 2-1 margin.

Highlights of the game with the Engineers was the three-hit pitching of Ronnie Lubman as the Apes scored all their runs in the first inning to win, 6-3. PiKA's Bill Chesney held AEPi to four hits and beat them, 2-1,

The Pikes scored both runs in the fourth inning on a single with men on second and third. AEPi's lone run came in the last frame, when Leon Salzberg got a base hit, stole second, and scored a moment later on a base hit by

Al Rode.

Lawyers Spilt

Phi Alpha took two other contests, beating Kappa Sig and PiKA. Engineering beat Sigma Nu, the Law School beat Welling Halt-SAE's Jim Swisher shut out the Lawyers, 7-0, the Engineers beat PiKA, SAE took Kappa Sig, 9-1, and Sigma Nu beat Welling Hall.

9-1, and Sigma Nu beat Welling Hall.

In League B, Sigma Chi beat TKE, the Alphans handed the Colonials a defeat, and TEP surprised Delta Tau Delta with a powerful attack.

Behind the pitching and hitting of Ludlow (Dud) Griner, Phi Sigma Kappa defeated Acacia by a score of 22 to 2. Griner allowed two runs on four hits and 3 walks, while blasting a grand slam home run and a bunt single. The powerful Phi Sigs got 14 hits off three Acacia pitchers. Bill Holt also had a grand slam homer and a single. The game was called at the end of the third inning by the official due to the range in the score. Final season standings:

Score.
Final Season standings:
League A: 1. Phi Alpha (8-0),
2. SAE (7-1), 3. Sigma Nu (5-3),
4. AEPI (4-4), 5. Law School
(4-4), 6. PiKA (3-5), 7. Engineers
(3-5), 8. Welling Hall (2-6),
9. Kappa Sigma (1-7),
League B: 1. Sigma Chi (7-0),
2. Phi Sigma Kappa (6-1), 3. Alphans (5-2), 4. DTD (3-4), 5. TEP
(3-4), 6. TKE (2-5), 7. Colonials

(3-4), 6. TKE (2-5), 7. Colonials (1-5)*, 8. Acaciá (1-5)*. *Played unfinished tie gamé.

Sailors Take Fourth Spot

• LORENZ SCHRENK and John Dodge overcame the erratic winds of the Charles River on April 26 to capture fourth place for the GWU Sailing Team in the Boston Dinghy Cup Regatta.

Under the supervision of Dr. David G. White, the team of five sailors left for M.I.T. in Boston on Feiday. April 24 the compression with

sailors left for M.I.T. in Boston on Friday, April 24, to compete with thirteen other universities. Among these other outstanding schools represented were M.I.T., the host school; Harvard, the national champions; McGill from Canada, Rhode Island University, Tufts and Vale Rhode Is and Yale.

and Yale.

Besides skippers John Dodge and Lorenz Schrenk, who were also the Middle Atlantic delegates to the regatta, Carlene Parker, Nell Weaver and Pete Davis served as dinghy crewmen.

Ace Dancu Colonials Play U. Va., Ramblings Pitches for Seek 3rd Tennis Win

• COLONIAL NETMEN carry a two win, five loss record into their last match this afternoon with the University of Virginia at the Fore-Hand Tennis Club at Bailey's Cross Roads. Play

begins at 2 p.m.

In spite of the tennis squad's unimpressive record this season, Coach Bill Shreve

looks for a great deal of improvement next year. If the top five men come through as expected and make their grades, Coach Shreve says next spring's squad ought to be "one of the best tennis teams we've ever had."

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Mickey Boteler, Bill Russel and Art Cohen are sophomores on this year's varsity who will return next season. Boteler played in the number one spot this year, and Russel started off as the number three man but showed much improvement during the season. provement during the season.

Bert Epstein, Walt Shropshire,
Andy Cole and Bob Lecky filled
out the squad, but they will be
lost to graduation.

Freshmen Stars Return
Added to these returnees will be
three top men from the freshmen

team, Joe Jacinto, Ken Garrison, and Herb Rappaport. Jacinto was number one, with Garrison and Rappaport fighting for two and three positions. Also coming up from the freshmen will be John Perry, John Bouquet, Geeming Lin and Bill Chesney.

and Bill Chesney.

Saturday the court team dropped a 6-3 decision to VMI, and lost 9-0 to Maryland on Friday. Holding victories over Maine and the University of Richmond, the tennis team dropped matches to Georgetown, William and Mary, Hampton-Sydney and Maryland, previously.

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Coach Shreve has two good Coach Shreve has two good prospects for next year's freshmen squad in Bernie Steiner and Harvy Schweiger, high school tennis players from New York City, who have been accepted at G.W. for the fall Semester.

Sailing Club Trains Crews

 THINGS ARE REALLY hum-ming around the sailing club office and down at Buzzard's Point. The Sailing Club is in the act of training new club members, checking out new skippers (5 in the past three weeks) and getting trophies in the P.R.S.A. regatta.

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The training program has been going on every Saturday and Sunday afternoon after 1 P.M. New members are learning an entirely new vocabulary and a different way of looking at such things as the weather. They now think of a day as where is the wind? How fast is it? Will it hold its velocity until I get to the boat yard? There no longer is such a thing as only a sunny day. Some members are learing to be good crews for next year's team, while others are working on being the skippers for the team.

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At the boat yard there is a great cloud of sandpaper dust as boats are refinished and put in boats are remissed and put assailing shape. Every Sunday afternoon six club skippers race in the P.R.S.A. Spring Series. This regatta is a series of 2 races run every Sunday from April 25 through June 6.

Down Alden's Beat

WRA Sets Sights on Three Aims as New Leaders 'Plot'

• ONE AFTERNOON last week, a group of the most charming young ladies on the GW campus, backed up by a strong group of re-inforcements from their sex, inveigled yours truly among other unsuspecting males into

their den for a luncheon and other trimmings.

This action was a part of a calculated plot of the new order that has taken over the Women's Recreation Association—a plot calculated to make the organization more thoroughly carry through on the high aims expressed in its charter.

The new leaders, who assumed their offices in March instead of the customary May, have already burled themselves into a program that includes

March instead of the customary May, have already-hurled themselves into a program that includes three immediate objectives toward the goal of the long-range "plot."

The luncheon itself was the beginning of WRA's increased interest in public relations, one of the three immediate aims. The other two—a new hand-book and more emphasis on mixed participation— were presented at the luncheon.

WHEN THE WRA decided to think more about

its public relations and related publicity responsibilities, it was hitting the number one weakness of most campus organizations at

There are, of course, many factors to be considered in explaining the numerous failures and hardships that various activities and groups weather at the University.

The makeup of the student body and the lack of facilities are certainly important in considering the success or failure of various student activities, but the lack of effective

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various student activities, but the lack of effective and well-coordinated public relations is at the root of many of the failures.

The Women's Recreation Association held a very delightful luncheon during which they told their story to many who were not entirely familiar with the organization. The leaders of WRA generally nut across the pressure they were trying to with the organization. The leaders of WRA generally put across the message they were trying to convey to its guests. And the guests were allowed to contribute ideas to WRA—something which made the guests feel good as well as providing a new source of ideas for WRA.

The WRA plans to work more closely with other student activities in the future, including The HATCHET. The WRA will try to publicize its events—And the organization may throw some

events. And the organization may throw some more luncheons like the successful one last week.

ONE OF THE BUSIEST projects presently involving the WRA girls is soliciting advertisements for their new handbook for 1954-1955. The handbook is not only an instrument of publicity for the WRA, it also provides new women students to the University the extent of athletic activities available

Nan McKinney, editor of the publication, is try-ing to brighten and enlarge the handbook over previous ones by using new makeup, more pictures and more data, and adding more pages.

If the WRA receives the financial support neces-

sary for publishing the handbook, through adver-tisers and patrons, it will try to produce a 24- to 32-page magazine.

Writeups and pictures of each sport and affli-ated club to the WRA will be printed. The point system for attaining awards and other features will be presented.

PROMOTING MORE AND BETTER mixed participation events is the third part of this closely entwined program to further the WRA on the GW campus. The girls hope to make their men-women tennis, badminton and bowling tournaments and meets, larger and more effective.

WRA President Bette Kolonia has called a meeting of the presidents and faculty advisers of the Inter-Fraternity Council, Inter-Sorority Athletic Board and Intramural Council, to meet wither and Mrs. Ruth H. Atwell, WRA adviser, Friday.

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Bette and Mrs. Atwell, who is also head of the women's physical education department, hope this meeting will improve the operations of the mixed participation events.

THE WOMEN'S RECREATION ASSOCIATION

has embarked upon an ambitious program to strengthen its position on campus.

The new officers of the Board have indicated they want to make the following aims expressed in the WRA charter living realities: (1) "To create and sponsor an active interest in athletic participation in the University."

(2) "To produce a varied program of athletic activities by which the desires and interests of the largest number of students may be realized." (3) "To make the campus aware of the best standards of athletic recreation." And (4) "to promote athletic leadership."

Leading the assault on WRA's problems and commanding the progressive program of the or-ganization is WRA's energetic new president, Bette Kolonia.

BETTE HAS THE IMPORTANT JOB of coordinating the work of WRA's many lieutenants in various positions of the organization and its affiliated groups. And she will continue her important role in improving WRA's public relations.

Vice president of WRA is Ann McLeod, who is most concerned with the annual membership drive. The vice president is the group's parliamentarian, heading constitution-revision and nomination committees.

Joan Calvert functions as the new correspond-ing secretary. She maintains WRA's correspondence and compiles addresses of all Board members. Re-cording secretary is Mildred Miller. Ruth Berryman was elected treasurer, She must draw up the annual budget, a major portion of which comes from an annual contribution by the University.

JONIA EMORY HOLDS down the important post of program chairman. She develops the calendar of events for the year and makes arrangements for the annual awards program.

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